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All Sorts of Items.

The Earl of Albemarle describes the Queen of England when a bright pretty girl, seven years old, she day after day watered the plants under the palace window, where he watched her: "It was amusing to see how impartially she divided the contents of the watering-pot between the flowers and her own little feet. Her simple but becoming dress contrasted favorably with the gorgeous apparel now worn by the little damsels of the rising generation—a large straw hat and a suit of white cotton; a colored "fichu" was the only ornament she wore."

"W——, do you know why you are like a donkey?" "Like a donkey!" echoed W——, opening his eyes wide. "No, I don't." "Because your better half is stubbornness itself. "That's not bad. Ha! ha! I'll give that to my wife when I get home." "Mrs. W——," he asked, as he sat down to supper, "do you know why I am like a donkey?" He waited a moment, expecting his wife to give it up. But she didn't She looked at him somewhat compromisingly as she answered; "I suppose you were born so."

Lord John Russell, the Nestor of British statesmen, entered upon his eighty-ninth year on August 18th. He has been a member of Parliament since 1813.

THE CHURCH AND PUBLIC HOUSES.—It is stated that the Bishop of London, when he leaves his house in St. James' square and rides to his palace at Fulham, passes on his road more than one hundred public houses built on land belonging to the Church. It is also said that the archbishops and bishops in their corporate capacity as members of the Ecclesiastical Commission are the largest owners of public house property in the kingdom. In face of this cheerful news the drunkard may pursue his career, says the 'Liberal Review,' with a comfortable conscience, inasmuch as he may reflect when drinking that he is doing so for the benefit of the Church, or perhaps we should say for the benefit of the Church's purse, which perhaps some pious people may consider the most important thing in connection with the Church. We trust that the teetotallers will not be rude enough to hint that the Church ought not to own public houses, profitable though such houses may be.

A well-dressed gentleman went into a small tavern in the Rue de l'Yonne, Paris, and asked to have a room where he might dine alone. He ordered a number of oysters and a chop, and having eaten them with perfect calmness called for another dish. On being served with this he pointed out to the waiter that the knife with which he had been supplied was too blunt to cut, and asked that they should let him have a sharp one. The waiter brought him another, and left the room without the slightest suspicion. On returning a few minutes afterwards he found the gentleman lying insensible with the knife plunged in his breast and the room running with blood. Medical assistance was procured, and the unfortunate man, who was found to be suffering from a wide and deep wound which he had inflicted upon himself, was removed to the hospital of the Hotel Dieu. After lying some time in a state of unconciousness he revived, and his first words, on looking round, were, "What! still alive!" Without a moment's hesitation he applied all his force to tear open the wound, which had been bandaged carefully, and immediately expired.

THE power of the press has just been shown in a new form in England. A gentleman's name was struck from the polling lists at Cobham because the "Times" had published a notice of his funeral, though another gentleman positively testified that he was alive and on the continent!

LANDLORD (savagely) you blundering idiot! To go and paint a unicorn with two horns—and after my advancing you a crown, that you might copy it from the Royal arms. Irish artist (with artistic dignity and composure); Get out wid ye. Shure an' don't ye know that the R'yal view's only a side view?

A Stafford (O.) Republican family has a little bright-eyes who has a knowledge of the political situation. Being on a visit the other evening with her mamma, at her uncle's, she said, "Please I want to go to bed," to which her mother replied, "Well, wait till uncle has prayers!" "Uncle have prayers!" exclaimed the child. "Why, I thought he was a Democrat!"

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to and other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

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Paper ruled to any pattern. Tickets, receipts, etc., numbered and perforated. Charts and maps mounted. The best classes of modern machinery employed. R. T. WILLIAMS, Government street, entrance through Messrs. Hibben & Co.'s store.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTION.

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA EXpect to be able on or before

JANUARY, 1877,

TO INVITE

Tenders for Building and Working

The Sections between

Lake Superior and the Pacific Ocean,

under the provisions of the Canada Pacific Railway Act, 1874.

This Act (after reciting that it is expedient to provide for the construction of the work as rapidly as it can be accomplished without further raising the rate of taxation) enacts that the Contractors for its construction and working shall receive LANDS, or the proceeds of LANDS, at the rate of 20,000 acres, and cash at the rate of $10,000—for each mile of railway constructed; together with interest at the RATE OF four PER CENT., per ANNUM, for TWENTY-FIVE YEARS from the COMPLETION of the WORK, or any further sum which may be stipulated in the contract; and the act requires parties tendering to state, in their offers, the lowest sum, if any, per mile on which such interest will be required.

Copies of the Act, Maps showing the general route so far as at present settled, the published reports of Engineers, and such other information as is now available, can be seen at the Canadian Emigration Agency, in London, England, and at the Public Works Department, Ottawa.

This intimation is given in order to afford to all parties interested the fullest opportunity of examination and enquiry.

By order,
F. BRAUN
Secretary,
Dept. Public Works.

Department of Public Works, OTTAWA, 29th May, 1876. | je27

GOODACRE & DOOLEY,
Family Butchers,
S. E. Corner of Government and Johnson Streets,

Purveyors by Appointment to
THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE EARL AND COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN
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QUEEN'S MARKET,
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REMOVAL.

R. Maynard,
HAVING REMOVED HIS
BOOT, SHOE AND LEATHER STORE
TO THE COR. OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STS.
is now prepared to receive orders for every description of
BOOTS AND SHOES.
Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds
FRENCH RIP AND CALF,
UPPERS IN GREAT VARIETY,
Also, SEWING MACHINES adapted for Shoemakers
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NEW BUGGIES, BUGGY-Horses, Saddle Horses, Carriage Horses
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Horses Boarded by the Day, Week or Month

Having had many years experience at Cariboo and elsewhere in the Management of Horses, the undersigned respectfully asks a share of the patronage of the Citizens of Victoria and the Mainland.
H. C. WILMOT.
VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 2nd, 1876. oc3dwdm

PIANOS,
Organs, Harmoniums,
And a general assortment of
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

MESSRS. BAGNALL & CO.
HAVE JUST RECEIVED BY Lady Head the most splendid variety of Pianos and other Musical Instruments ever imported in the Province. For beauty of design, richness of tone, delicacy of touch and solidity of construction we defy competition. Call and inspect them.
Also—A Magnificent GRECIAN HARP.
J. BAGNALL,
Pianoforte and Organ Tuner & Repairer.
Pianos Tuned and Regulated, $10 per annum. Organs tuned by agreement.
19 FORT STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.
se28 ESTABLISHED 1863.

REMOVAL
Mr. John Teague,
ARCHITECT,
Has removed his office to
Government Street, below Fort, opposite the Hook & Ladder House.
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GALVANIZED TELEGRAPH WIRE
os. 8 & 9 B.B. and Extra, B.B.
Made Johnson & Nephew, Manchester, England
FOR SALE IN BOND BY
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Capital Stock - - - - $750,000.
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Jy15 3m Agents.

THE ACCIDENT
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$3 PER ANNUM PAID TO THIS COMpany will secure
$1,000 IN CASE OF DEATH,
Or $24 per Month in Case of Accident.
Extra Premiums for Hazardous Occupations.
T. ALLSOP & CO.,
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Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.
Risks Accepted at Current Rates of Premium.
WELCH, RITHET & Co.,
Agents for British Columbia
my10 And Washington Territory.

Dentistry.

C. F. Barnard, M. D.,
DENTIST,
OFFICE AND RESIDENCE:
DOUGLAS STREET.
Between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store.
VICTORIA, May 11th, 1875.

DR. J. CALDER,
Surgical & Mechanical
DENTIST,
LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO.
OFFICE:
Right Hand side of Staircase,
SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY
DR. J. CALDER makes sets of Artifical Teeth from $10 upwards; Teeth filled from $1 upwards.
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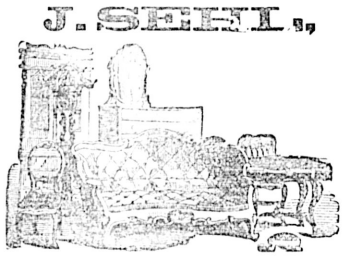
R. B. THOMPSON,
DENTIST,
Office, - - - Occidental Building,
(Up Stairs,)
Cor. GOVERNMENT & FORT Sts.,
VICTORIA, B. C.

J. SEHL,



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FURNITURE,
Has just received a large assortment of
ELEGANT WALNUT
BEDROOM & PARLOR SUITES
EXTENSION & CENTRE TABLES,
Wardrobes, Mirrors,
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BODY PERAMBULATORS, ETC.,
All of the Latest styles, which I am enabled to sell
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES
On account of increased facilities in purchasing direct from manufacturers in the Eastern States.
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Pictures, Frames, Mouldings,
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SPRING & OTHER MATTRESSES
On hand and Made to Order,
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Chairs in great variety at prices from 50 cts.
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Everything Warranted as represented.
AN INSPECTION OF THE WAREROOMS INVITED.
ap27 3m J. SEHL, Government St.

JOHN TEAGUE,
Architect.
Government Street, below Fort opposite
de10 Hook and Ladder House.

JUST RECEIVED,
EX LADY HEAD, BY
CASAMAYOU & CO.
A Large Assortment of
LIQUORS, WINES, BRANDIES, &C.
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Notices.

DENMAN ISLAND.

NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with Clause 60, "Land Act, 1875," that the following subdivisions of Land situate on Denman Island, Nanaimo District, are reserved for Government purposes, viz:—

Section 1
N. E. ¼ Section 3
N. W. ¼ Section 21
Sections 31 32, and 33.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 21 October, 1876. oc22

NOTICE.

Fall Circuit.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Richfield	Monday,	18th September
Quesnellemouth	Saturday,	23rd "
Clinton	Monday,	2nd October
Kamloops	Friday,	6th "
Lytton	Thursday,	12th "
Yale	Monday,	16 h "
New Westminster ...	Saturday,	21st "

By command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Jy30 Provincial Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

COWICHAN ELECTORAL DISTRICT

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Highway is hereby established in Cowichan District, viz:—

Commencing at a point on the Trunk Road on the section line between sections three (3) and four (4), Range four (IV); thence true East 75 chains more or less; thence North-east 90 chains more or less, to Lewis' bridge on the old Maple Bay and Somenos Road, and including sixteen and one-half feet (16½) on each side thereof.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 9th Sept., 1876. se12

NOTICE TO COAL MERCHANTS

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to noon on Monday the 6th of November next, at the office of the Lands and Works Department, Victoria addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for supplying Government House, Victoria, and the Government Offices, James Bay, with Coal and Wood.

Tenders to state the price of Coal per ton of 2240lbs, Wood per Cord, and Wood per load in 12-in. lengths.

Service to extend for a period of nine months.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Nov. 3rd, 1876. no4

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
October 26th, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to place JOHN BOBSON, of Victoria, Esquire, on the Commission of the Peace in and for the Province of British Columbia. oc9

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
October 29th, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

HENRY MCHUGH, W. F. TOLMIE, JUNR., G. W. WILSON BROWN, and GEORGE LINDSAY, Esquires, to be Fence Viewers in Lake District, under and to carry out the provisions of the "British Columbia Line Fences and Water Courses Act, 1876. oc29

DENMAN ISLAND.

NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with Clause 23, "Land Act, 1875," that all the surveyed, unreserved, vacant Crown Land situate on Denman Island, Nanaimo District, as defined on the Official Map in the Land Office, Victoria, will be open for pre-emption and purchase at 10 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 8th November, at the office of T. L. Fawcett, Esq., Government Agent, Nanaimo, Vancouver Island, with the exception of the following subdivisions:—

W ½ of S.W. ¼ Section 15
W. ½ of N.E. ¼ " 18
W. ½ " 18
" 19
" 20
W. ½ of S.W. ¼ " 21
" 1
N.E. ¼ " 3
N.W. ¼ " 21
Sections 31, 32, and 33.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 21st October, 1876. oc22

HORNBY ISLAND.

NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with Clause 23, "Land Act, 1875," that all the surveyed, unreserved, vacant Crown Land situate on Hornby Island, Nanaimo District, as defined on the Official Map in the Land Office, Victoria, will be open for pre-emption and purchase at 10 o'clock, a.m. on Wednesday, 8th November, at the office of Thos. L. Fawcett, Esq., Government Agent, Nanaimo, Vancouver Island, with the exception of the following subdivisions:—

North ½ Section 1
South-East ¼ Section 2
South-West ¼ " 9
South East ¼ " 10
" " 5
Section 7.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 21st October, 1876. oc22

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Lands and Works Department are requested to present their accounts for settlement on or before the 1st of December next.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Nov. 3rd, 1876. no4

Notice to Claimants of Land.

LASQUETI ISLAND, NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that Lasqueti Island, in the Land Recording District of Nanaimo, has been subdivided by survey, and the Map thereof has been deposited in the office of Thos. L. Fawcett, Esq., Nanaimo.

And that claimants to any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof, should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21 "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of Proof and Declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, Nanaimo.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 21st October, 1876. oc22

Notices.

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

PUBLIC NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on and after the Sixteenth (16th) day of October, 1876, all Mining Claims legally held in the District of Kootenay will be laid over until the First (1st) day of June, 1877, subject to the Provincial Statutes and Ordinances made and provided for governing the working of Mining Claims during the close season.

CORNELIUS BOOTH,
Gold Commissioner.
Wild Horse Creek, 30th Sept., 1876. oc22

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the land within the following boundaries, and situate in the Coast District, is hereby reserved until further notice, viz:—Commencing at a point at the mouth of Salmon River, on Dean's Channel; thence in a northerly direction, following the shore line of the channel and the centre of Clamsquit River, a distance of three miles; thence in an easterly direction, running parallel to Salmon River, a distance of four miles; thence true south, six miles; thence in a westerly direction, running parallel to Salmon River, to the shore line of Dean's Channel; thence northerly, along the shore of the said channel, to the point of commencement.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 7th October, 1876 oc8

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the land within the following boundaries, and situate in the Coast District, is hereby reserved until further notice, viz:—Commencing at Potato Point, on Dute Inlet; thence true West, three miles; thence North, six miles; thence true East, six miles; thence true South, six miles; thence true West, three miles, to the point of commencement.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, October 7th, 1876. oc8

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between J. C. Beedy and Alexander Lindsay, of Lightning Creek, B. C., under the name of Beedy & Lindsay, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. C. Beedy will assume all liabilities and collect all outstanding accounts.

J. C. BEEDY,
STANLEY, B.C., ALEX. LINDSAY.
October 9th, 1876. oc22 1w

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL applications for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbor, Canal, Lock, Dam or Slide, or other lines work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Co.; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows:

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such a Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,
Victoria. oc25

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

QUAMICHAN DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I shall, in pursuance of the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three calendar months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to DANIEL LINDSAY, of—

Section 3, Range VIII, and the West-in half of Section 2, Range VIII, in the Quamichan District, unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime, against the issue thereof.

A. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, 28th Oct., 1876. oc29

Insolvent Act, 1875.

In the matter of ALEXANDER CLYLE, an Insolvent.

THE Insolvent has made an assignment of his estate to me, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Tuesday, 14th November, 1876, at 11 a.m., to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit.

C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, October 16th, 1876. oc31

NOTICE.

A GENERAL COURT OF ASSIZE and Gaol Delivery, and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places as follow:—

Victoria, Tuesday, the 28th day of November, at 11 a.m.

Nanaimo, Wednesday, the 6th day of December, at 11 a.m.

Dated 14th October, 1876.

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
oc15 Provincial Sect'y.

HORNBY ISLAND.

NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with Clause 60 "Land Act, 1875," that the following subdivisions of Land situate on Hornby Island, Nanaimo District, are reserved for Government purposes, viz:—

S. E. ¼ Section 5
Section 7.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 28 October, 1876. oc22

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
October 7th, 1876.

THE Regulations for the open Competitive Examination for the Civil Service of India, in 1877, can be seen on application to the Provincial Secretary.

A. C. ELLIOTT,
oc8 Provincial Secretary.

Notices.

BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, JANITOR OF THEATRE Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity. Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. de2

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtors of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.
SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.
Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Victoria, September 30th, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

A. T. D. MCELMEN, Esq., to form a Court of Revision and Appeal for the District of Victoria, as defined in the "Assessment Act, 1876."

THOMAS HARRIS Esq., to be Sheriff for Vancouver Island, vice RICHARD WOODS, Esq., deceased.

THOMAS HARRIS, Esq., to be a Registrar under and to carry out the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and the "Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872," vice R. E. WOODS, Esq. oc1

Notice to Claimants of Land.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," Annacis Island, situate in the Land Recording District of New Westminster, has been sub-divided by survey and the map thereof has been deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., New Westminster.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof, should prove up their claims in accordance with clause 21, "Land Act, 1875."

Form of proof and declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, New Westminster.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 23rd, 1876. se24

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING

A PROCLAMATION

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney General | WHEREAS in pursuance of the provisions for this purpose contained in the "Breeding Stock Act, 1876," application has been made to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, to withdraw the Comox District from the operation of the said Act.

NOW KNOW YE, that under and by virtue of authority contained in the "Breeding Stock Act, 1876," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council directs that from the date hereof the said Act shall not have any operation in the Comox District as set forth in Schedule A to the "Constitution Act, 1871."

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honourable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-six, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
CHARLES GOOD,
Deputy Provincial Secretary. se12

NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF
Mules or Horses,
BELONGING TO THE
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,
Without written authority after this notice,
WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.
By order
MARCUS SMITH.
VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the land within the following boundaries, and situate in New Westminster District, is hereby reserved until further notice, viz:—

Commencing at a point in Jarvis Inlet in the centre of the channel of Prince of Wales Reach, due East from Dacre's point; thence following the centre of the said channel to the bend of the said Inlet and including all the land within a distance of three miles on both sides of the said centre channel.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 16th, 1876. se17

Notice.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT

NOTICE is hereby given that all that tract of land situate in the District of New Westminster containing 160 acres and known as Lot 149, Group 2, will be offered for sale at Public Auction, on the 13th day of November, 1876, in the City of New Westminster. Upset price One Dollar per acre, $1.00.

FORBES GEO VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 16th, 1876. se17

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
6th October, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

JOSEPH SPRATT and ALEXANDER BLAIR GRAY of Victoria, Esquires, to be Justices of the Peace in and for the Province of British Columbia.

ROBERT MIDDLEY CAMERON, Esq., to be Deputy Superintendent of Education for the Province of British Columbia. oc8

Gold Commissioner's Court.

ON and after the 1st of October next, all Mining Claims in the Cassiar District may be laid over till the 15th June, 1877, subject to the 4th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."

A. W. VOWELL,
Gold Commissioner.
LAKETON, September 1st, 1876. oc8

"PSYCHOMANCY, or Soul-Charming." How either sex may fascinate and gain the love and affections of any person they choose, instantly. This simple mental acquirement all can possess, free, by mail, for 25 cts; together with a Marriage Guide Egyptian Oracle, Dreams, Hints to Ladies. A queer book, 100,000 sold. Address T. WILLIAM & CO., Publishers, Phila. se23

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG

St. Louis College.

THE ABOVE INSTITUTION WILL REopen on Friday, Sept. 1st, at 9 o'clock a.m.
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Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 9TH, 1876.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

VINDICATION.

We hope that none will fail to-day to read the report of the deputation that waited on Mr. Elliott yesterday. A more thorough vindication of the Government from unjust and contemptible insinuations and charges was never known. The deputation, who represented the Carnarvon Club, were informed by the Premier that he did not see the reply to the Yale address till it had appeared in print; that he did not endorse the expressions contained in that reply; that the Government had neither received from nor sent to the Canadian Government any despatch respecting the Railway difficulty since the memorial of the House was forwarded in February last; and that he and his Government had seen no reason to change their views on the railway question as promulgated at the time of taking office. Mr. Fell, with the bluntness characteristic of that worthy burgher, after closely questioning the Premier, declared that the country was "safe in his hands," an expression in which he was joined by the remainder of the deputation. The frankness with which Mr. Elliott met the deputation is worthy of all praise; and his answers have quite dispelled the idea advanced that a Minister is responsible for the extra-official utterances of a governor.

EGO.

Nearly two columns of our contemporary of yesterday were devoted to the consideration of a most unworthy object—and that object DeCosmos—who, according to his own testimony, has been the Alpha and Omega of every incident of note that has ever occurred. All that is great, good and noble in the world DeCosmos claims that his fecund brain conceived and was delivered of. We are not sure that he was present at the Creation; but if all that he says about himself be true, and if the Darwinian theory of evolution be correct, he probably entered Noah's ark as a quadruped; visited Egypt as one of the locusts sent to plague the Egyptians; assisted Solomon in building the temple; and enacted the part of the Wandering Jew at the Crucifixion—since which time he has visited every country and made himself excessively obnoxious in all. We don't intend to discuss this interesting gentleman and his acts today. We propose to give the nauseated public the benefit of a rest of 48 hours; and in the meanwhile we shall refer to official documents to show how much credit he is entitled to for the little good that the Province has to thank his Ministry for.

THE ELECTION.

Sufficient returns have now come to hand to warrant an opinion as to which candidate for the Presidency has been elected. It is thought that Indiana and New York States (which will have 50 votes in the electoral college), and the majority if not all, of the Southern States, with 138 electoral votes, have been carried by the Democrats, thus securing 188 votes for Tilden, or 3 more than are necessary to elect. But it is by no means certain that the Democrats have carried all the Southern States, North and South Corolina, with 17 votes being claimed by the Republicans. To offset the loss of their votes the Democrats say they have carried Wisconsin with 10, New Jersey with 9, and Oregon with 3 votes. In these three States, owing to local complications, the votes will be very close, and it is even doubtful if the Democrats have succeeded in carrying either. The solid vote of the South, with the votes of New York and Indiana, would undoubtedly make Tilden President; but the loss of one of the Southern States may seat his opponent. In any case the vote will be very close, and Tilden's friends may yet learn the truth of the old adage that "there's many a slip 'twixt the cup and the lip." To enable the reader to "figure" out the result for himself we append the number of electoral votes to which each State is entitled:

Alabama	10	Nevada	3
Arkansas	6	Missouri	15
Connecticut	6	New York	35
Delaware	3	North Carolina	10
Georgia	11	Oregon	3
Indiana	15	Tennessee	12
Kentucky	12	Texas	8
Maryland	8	Virginia	11
Mississippi	8	West Virginia	5
Colorado	3	Minnesota	5
Illinois	21	Nebraska	3
Iowa	11	New Hampshire	5
Kansas	5	Ohio	22
Maine	7	Rhode Island	4
Massachusetts	13	South Carolina	7
Michigan	11	Vermont	5
California	6	New Jersey	9
Florida	4	Wisconsin	10
Louisiana	8	Pennsylvania	29

DR. JAMES

Has removed to Broughton street opposite the City Chambers. Philip James, M. D., Diplomatized Eclectic Physician. Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife. **Rheumatism cured in one hour without pain.** He is now using the *Electric Magnetic Machine* with good effect in many diseases of Rheumatic, Palsy or Paralysis and Fits. N. B.—Special attention given to all diseases of women and children.

City Council.

A meeting of the City Council was held last evening.

After routine a communication was read from Messrs. Cameron and Ball, calling attention to a defective drain opposite their blacksmith shop on Cormorant st.

Referred to Street Committee.

A request was read from J. R. Hett on behalf of J. L. Taylor asking for a refund of $105, the amount of license paid by him for a dance-house, he having been compelled to close the said house under instructions from the Board of Health. A refund was ordered for the unexpired term.

The Mayor said that he understood a dance-house was running with closed doors on Tuesday last and the attention of the Inspector of Police was called to the matter.

An application was read from the Rev. S. McGregor for pecuniary assistance to enable a woman named Lewis and her two children, who are in destitute circumstances, to return to their home in Michigan. The unfortunate woman was deserted by her husband several months since and the case was one apparently deserving of charity.

Coun. Williams suggested that the Rev Mr. McGregor take up a collection at his church next Sunday.

Coun. Gosnell thought the Council should devote $25 towards defraying the expenses.

The Mayor said the City could not afford to do anything in the matter, and thought it should be dealt with by the Government or charitable societies.

Coun. Williams—There is lots of people in town just as bad off as her. The fellar (her husband) had been scared out of town by telling him that Bowden was going after him for not supporting her. Let her go to work and earn a living for her children.

Coun. Gosnell was sure Mr. McGregor would not have taken the matter in hand if the case had not been a deserving one.

The motion for $25 assistance was lost, and the Clerk was ordered to reply to Mr. McGregor informing him of the fact.

A letter was read from the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department stating that several cistern-covers required repairing and the repairs were ordered.

Coun. Williams moved that the consideration of correspondence asking permission to erect a cartridge magazine at James Bay be postponed for three months. Carried.

The Council then went into committee.

ANOTHER GRAND RAFFLE.

A grand raffle for five splendid prizes will take place at the "Adelphi" saloon as soon as the chances are disposed of. The prizes consist of the best class of Jewelry and are: 1st, handsome stem-winding Gold Watch and Chain; 2nd, Lady's Gold Watch; 3rd, a beautiful ¾-carat Diamond Ring elegantly mounted; 4th, gentleman's double case Silver Watch and Gold Chain; 5th, gentleman's Silver Watch and Chain. The prizes will be thrown for in the usual manner, with three dice. The highest throw will have first choice of prizes, the next highest second choice, the next third choice, the next fourth choice and the lowest throw will take the remaining prize. There will be 200 chances at $2 50 each, and tickets are now for sale at the Adelphi Saloon, corner of Government and Yates streets. *

New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

In consequence of some of the goods not having come to hand the sale of Dry Goods and Clothing advertised to take place this day, is unavoidably postponed until TO-MORROW Friday, 10th inst., at same hour. Catalogues will be ready on morning of sale. no9

SHERIFF'S SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions from THOMAS HARRIS, Esq., High Sheriff, to sell by Public Auction under distraint for rent, at the

ORIENTAL RESTAURANT, YATES ST.,

Monday, Nov. 13th, at 11 o'clk a.m.,

All the Effects contained therein, Chairs, Tables, Crockery, Glassware, Stoves, Table Cutlery, Curtains Looking-glasses, Kitchen Utensils, etc.

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Call at the Factory or on W. J. JEFFREE, corner of Government and Yates streets and see Samples.

SOFT SOAP in 5 gallon tins at **$1 25** each can be procured at the Factory or from Dealers. no9 3m

Notice to Contractors.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to noon of Monday the 13th inst., for the construction of a **Brick Sewer and Sediment Tank.** Also, for the Materials and Carpenter's Work required in the renewing of a Cellar Floor. Plans and Specifications may be seen at my office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. JAMES SYME, Architect.

Victoria, Nov. 6th, 1875. no8

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Fine Chased and Cut GLASSWARE, such as Decanters, Butter Dishes, Sugar Basins, Cream Jugs, and Wine Glasses.

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Fenders, Birdcages,

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After which a GRAND OLIO,

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ADMISSION.

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Pit	50
Private Boxes	$8 and $6

Seats may be secured at the Boxoffice without Extra Charge. no8

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NINTH DIVISION OF PROFITS,

AS AT 15TH NOVEMBER, 1875.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE COMPANY was held on 28th June, to receive the Report of the Directors on the result of the investigation—

H. MAXWELL INGLIS, Esq., P. C. S., in the Chair.

THE Report, which contains a full explanation of the principles on which the investigation has been conducted, and the results exhibited with specimens of the Bonus Additions declared and other important matters, can be had on application at the Company's Offices.

The Sum Divided among the Policy-holders is £372,710.

Providing Reversionary Additions to the Amount of £720,110.

The Bonus Notices are in course of being sent to Policy Holders.

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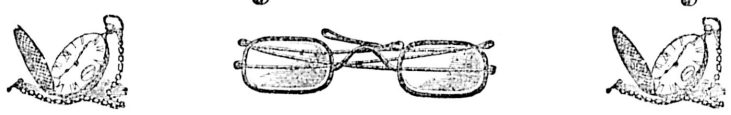

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Will perform their Challenge Act on the Double Trapeze in front of the Hall previous to the beginning of the Performance.

Admission $1. Back Seats, 50 cents.

Seats can be reserved without extra charge.
Trapeze performance at 7:30; inside performance at 8 o'clock. no3

THE METHODIST

ANNUAL TEA MEETING

—AND—

GRAND MUSICAL FESTIVAL,

Will take place at the

Philharmonic Hall, Fort St

Thursday, 9th Nov., 1876.

TICKETS - - - - ONE DOLLAR.

oc30

Real Estate and Personal Property Tax.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF VICTORIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment Roll has been finally passed by the Court of Revision, and that Taxes are now due and payable to the undersigned.

R. F. JOHN, Collector.

South Saanich, Nov. 4, 1876. no5dw

The Latest Styles

CLOTHING, HATS,

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FURNISHING GOODS,

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DAVID GREEN keeps in his grand store;
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Vending the best, we'll be supplied;
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Greeting him a benefactor of the human race,
Rules he a monarch in his place
Ever the human form to grace;
Everyone must to DAVID go,
Nor hesitate to buy best goods at prices low.

Men, Boys and Children can delight,
Ever their clothes can now fit right.
No wonder people there should flock,
Seeing he has the largest stock:

Best Cardigan Jackets, make it known,
Our comforts in these sure are shown.
You see as good as good can be;
Shirts, Drawers, all kinds of Hosiery

And Furnishing Goods, a good store,
No one can see and not adore.
Dealing in best, he well can claim

Cheap Prices ever guard his fame.
He greatest comforts sure can bring
In best of Rubber—Oil Clothing,
Look how the storms he can defy.
Doubt not we now can e'er keep dry.
Rightly, Hats, Caps and Collars, tell
Ever in these he can excel.
Now well to fit he's ever keen,
So people buy from DAVID GREEN.

Certain, all Victoria now must say,
Look how OUR DAVID has great sway!
Our Clothes are stylish—ever neat,
There's none that can with him compete.
Now Columbia, shall loud proclaim,
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No other one could be more blessed,
Graced by it—we are now well-dressed.

oc19

Manufactured Furs.

Reserve your Purchasing until the Sale of

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The farm has a Dwellinghouse, Barns, Stable and necessary Outbuildings and is **well watered**; it consists of about 365 acres of land, a great part of which is under cultivation.

The Stock of Cattle as also the Farming Implements belong to Mr. Edwards will also be let with the Farm.

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Victoria, Oct. 30, 1876. oc31 2w

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THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 9TH, 1876.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Nov. 8—str Etta White, Burrard Inlet
sch General Harney, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Nov. 8—str Etta White, Burrard Inlet
sch Kate, Nanaimo
sch General Harney, Pt Townsend

DEATHS.

On the 7th inst., at Fairfield House, Victoria, British Columbia, aged 77 years and one day, Charlotte Hannah, relict of the late William Trutch of Ashcot, Somersetshire, England, and only child of the late Hon. Joseph Barnes of Kingston, Jamaica.

The funeral will take place from her late residence at 1:30 p.m., and from Christ Church at 2 p. m. on Friday next. Friends are invited to attend.

On the 6th inst., at Point Ellice, in this city, Mary Augusta, the greatly beloved and deeply lamented child of P. and C. A. O'Reilly, aged seven years.

"Around the throne of God in Heaven
Thousands of children stand;
Children whose sins are all forgiven,
A holy happy band."

The funeral will take place from Point Ellice at 1:15 p.m., and from Christ Church at 2 p.m. on Friday next. Friends are invited to attend.

THE GOVERNOR'S REPLY TO THE YALE ADDRESS.

A DEPUTATION FROM CARNARVON CLUB WAITS UPON THE PREMIER.

The Government Thoroughly Vindicated.

Yesterday a deputation from the Carnarvon Club, consisting of Messrs. Fell, Hayward, Collier, Dalby, Syme, Rose, A. Wilson and Williams waited upon the hon. Mr. Elliott to ascertain the views of the government in respect to the reply of the Lieut.-Governor to an address presented to him by the people of Yale. The members of the deputation were cordially received by the Premier, who briefly stated that last Saturday he had received a letter from the Secretary of the Carnarvon Club requesting an interview on business of great public importance. As, however, that term was a very wide definition, he (Mr. Elliott), requested that he might be informed more particularly as to the nature of the interview. In reply to that request he had received intimation that the matter the deputation desired to be instructed on was whether the government endorsed the tenor of the Lieut.-Governor's reply to the Yale address.

Mr. Fell, on behalf of the deputation, said he had no doubt the hon. the Premier was well acquainted with the nature of the document in question, and the question he would ask his honor was, "Do the government still endorse the sentiments expressed in the reply?"

Hon. Mr. Elliott—I shall be happy to answer a question put in a tangible form; but the expression "still endorse" in the question you have just asked is strange, especially coming from a gentleman of your intelligence, Mr. Fell. To answer that question "Yes" or "No" would of course imply either that the government have endorsed the sentiments expressed and still do, or that they have endorsed the sentiments but do not do so now. If you ask me, "do the government endorse those sentiments or have they," I will at once reply that they never have done so and do not now (hear, hear.)

Mr. Fell—But I, of course, took it for granted that the reply having emanated from the Governor had been approved of by the Government.

Hon. Mr. Elliott—I can assure the deputation that so far as my knowledge of the document is concerned I did not know of its existence until I saw it in print in THE COLONIST newspaper. I therefore imagine that every gentleman present had as early an intimation of its existence as I had. As I was not aware of the nature of the reply I *could not* endorse anything which appeared therein, nor do I now endorse the sentiments expressed as to railway matters; in fact, I think that it would have been better if the objectionable allusions had not been made. The Government I have the honor to represent never endorsed such expressions at all.

Mr. Fell—I suppose you know the address was a document from the public at Yale.

Hon. Mr. Elliott—I have no means even of ascertaining that. I observe that it does not emanate from any public meeting and that it bears but five signatures. It does not profess to come from the people "in public meeting assembled."

Mr. Fell then read the Lieut.-Governor's reply, of which the following clause is the objectionable feature: "It gratifies me very much to hear that you do not sympathize with the view that separation must result from the non-commencement of railway on the Island, and I have no doubt but what your views are those entertained by the people of the Province at large. In fact, I have great doubt if any person really means separation unless such railway is begun."

With reference to the clause Mr. Elliott stated that he entirely disapproved of it. In fact, the entire address was mixed; it apparently contained a little good and a great deal that was objectionable. Unfortunately he (Mr. Elliott) had no control over the Lieut.-Governor or any other officer appointed by the Canadian Government. Continuing, the hon. the Premier said: "I can only state that my opinions as to our position with Canada on Railway matters are precisely the same as when I sought your suffrages at the last election. Those opinions you have seen expressed in my written address and you have heard them uttered on several occasions. Since then I have never wavered, and without betraying executive secrets I may state that the Government I represent have never forwarded any communication to the Canadian Government on Railway matters, nor received any from them since the petition was forwarded by the House of Assembly last session to the Imperial Government. In fact, we have received nothing whatever on the question except from the Imperial Government, and I am sure you must agree with me that it would be most indiscreet to deal with the Canadian Government in the premises until we hear from their and our superiors—the Home Government. This Ministry was annoyed at the reply of the Lieut.-Governor to the Yale address. His Excellency did not consult me on this matter; if he had and if he had thought fit to be guided by my humble advice the document in question would never have been forwarded. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Fell—Is the Government prepared to take any action in the matter when the House meets? Prepared either to make Mr. Richards "take back" what he has said or, as an alternative, to stop his supplies?

Hon. Mr. Elliott—I supposed that Mr. Fell, in common with other people, was aware that the Local House does not vote the Governor's supplies and consequently cannot "stop them."

Mr. Fell—But you can stop his private secretary's salary and object to vote money for materials supplied to Government House.

Hon. Mr. Elliott—Well, I am sure I had scarcely anticipated any such question, and I trust that before the House meets the Railway difficulty will be so satisfactorily arranged by the Imperial Government that addresses and replies will be easily forgotten. I cannot, however, at a moment's notice say what the Government will do in case no satisfactory settlement is arrived at. If there had been anything in the reply to the address to lead either the people of this Province, the Canadian Government, or, more important still, the Imperial Government, to suppose that this Government approved of the sentiment expressed I should have deemed it my duty to have instantly taken means to remove that false impression.

Mr. Fell—But I hold that the Government is responsible for the utterances and actions of the Lieut.-Governor.

Hon. Mr. Elliott—With great respect, then, for your opinion I must state that I differ very widely with you.

Mr. Williams—I'm perfectly satisfied with Mr. Elliott's explanation.

Mr. A. Wilson—So am I.

Mr. Collier—And I.

Hon. Mr. Elliott—Whilst thanking you for the honor you have done me by waiting on me I will state that I have regarded you rather as my own constituents—which you really are—than a deputation from a secret political organization, for you are doubtless aware that it is somewhat irregular for me to bring myself into official communication with you under such circumstances. I believe, however, that most of the members of the Club are loyal subjects and have the interests of British Columbia at heart; my breach of official etiquette in explaining my views to you, representing a political organization, may perhaps, therefore, be pardonable; and I will repeat that not only have we received no communication from the Canadian Government on the Railway question since the session of the House last session, but we have forwarded none to them. The only communication on the subject which left this Government was one to strengthen the case of the Province—if it required strengthening—to the Imperial Government.

Mr. Collier—I am sure the thanks of the Deputation are due to Mr. Elliott for the candid manner in which he has explained the course of the Government. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. Fell—And I feel sure that our interests are safe in his hands.

The deputation having thanked the Premier then retired.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.—The grand annual musical festival and tea meeting in connection with the Methodist Church will take place this evening at Philharmonic Hall and from the excellence of the programme provided there is every prospect of the affair proving a complete success. The musical portion of the entertainment will be given by the best talent in the city, Messrs. Short, Wilson, Bagnall and Spencer forming a glee quartette and Messrs. Schaffer, Wilson, (leader), Siffken and Bagnall being amongst members of the orchestra. Solos will be given by Messrs. White and Short, and a number of well known ladies have also kindly volunteered to sing ballads, duets, etc. Several tables will be spread with refreshments which will be dispensed by the fair sex. Tickets may be purchased for $1 each and the entertainment will commence at 7:30 p.m.

THE CONTRAST.—The praiseworthy act of the Local Government in extending aid to a party of prospectors who have left to explore the West Coast of the Island is in marked and honorable contrast with the conduct of the DeCosmos Ministry, who refused to give poor old McCullough, the discoverer of Cassiar, a penny to assist him in prosecuting his researches. Poor and sick, but indomitable, the old man started back with two or three friends, but died on the ice of Stickeen river of cold, exposure and hunger! His companions pushed on and opened the diggings which have proved so rich and remunerative. The DeCosmos Government, which could pay $1600 to its leader for "expenses to Ottawa and ETCETERAS," and could give away an iron island to its friends, denounced as the excess of extravagance the donation of a small sum to assist in opening up a new gold field!

BRITISH COLUMBIA SOAP WORKS.—A very important industry has lately been introduced into this Province, with, we are glad to know, excellent prospects of proving a financial success. We refer to the British Columbia Soap Works of Pendray & Co. on Humboldt street, which are turning out 4000 lbs. of excellent soaps each week, for which they find ready sale. The value of the soaps imported into this Province each year is $30,000—that is, the Custom House value—to which must be added the duty, freight and other charges. Pendray & Co. claim to be able to manufacture as good an article as any imported and sell it at a less rate. If they can do this their prosperity is assured. The varieties turned out at the works are the pale, bleaching and mottled, with a common grade for Indian use. The works are fitted with every modern appliance, and housekeepers should encourage home manufacture and ask their grocers for Pendray & Co.'s soap.

PROSPECTING.—The sloop Duncan has been chartered by Messrs. Bishop, Forrest, Sholl and Bryant to proceed up the East Coast to Kaspasina Lake and river, which are known to be auriferous, for the purpose of prospecting. The Local Government have offered to aid the undertaking and it is hoped that their public-spirited course will be supplemented by aid from business men to whom the discovery of a payable gold field near their doors would be of great value.

SAWTELLE'S BENEFIT. — Pleasure seekers should not forget the benefit of the popular actor Mr. J. Al. Sawtelle which takes place this evening at Theatre Royal. The entertainment will be under the patronage of officers of H. M. Navy and the programme will comprise the beautiful 3-act drama "David Garrick" and the favorite farce "The Two Puddifoots." Secure reserved seats at Redfern's jewelry store early this morning.

The James Bay Water Monopoly.

[Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.]

The case of Robinson (the Water Commissioner) *vs* Monk was heard yesterday afternoon at the Police Barracks. Mr. Drake appeared for the plaintiff and Mr. A. R. Robertson for defendant.

Mr. Drake, in opening the case, explained that the Act defining the Water Commissioner's powers provided that all contracts for laying water pipes or other similar work must be made under the sanction of the Commissioner, and prescribed penalties for the infraction of this regulation. That in defiance of these provisions the defendant Monk had attempted to carry out, and had partially carried out, a contract for laying certain pipes in James Bay Ward without Mr. Robinson's sanction, and that the present action was brought to recover the penalty which the law required in such cases.

Mr. A. R. Robertson said he did not intend to deny the facts alleged or that Mr. Monk had acted as stated by his learned friend; but he disputed the plaintiff's right to bring the action. He contended that the plaintiff was an officer of the Corporation and had no right to sue except with their full knowledge and consent, which certainly had not been obtained in the present action.

Some legal sparring then took place between counsel in the course of which Mr. Drake said he was prepared to prove that the Mayor and several members of the Council were interested in the contract which was the subject of the present action, and it would be necessary to call His Worship the Mayor to the stand.

The Mayor being sworn testified that he had occasionally employed the defendant Monk; that Monk was then working for witness; had not employed him for nearly two months previously; could not say exactly when he employed him last. (Being pressed on this point witness, after considering and scratching his head a good deal, said) He had known defendant about a year; had held conversations with defendant respecting the laying of waterpipes to James Bay, but denied having told Monk to lay them. After some objections from defendant's counsel (Mr. A. R. Robertson) as to the nature of the evidence elicited Mr. Drake resumed his examination and the witness admitted having furnished the defendant with some pipes marked Adams & Co. He (Monk) got the contract from the Council; witness had simply allowed Monk to use his (witness') name to obtain the material; the pipes were sent for witness to dispose of; had not been paid for them; thought Monk had got the pipes; witness had not seen them himself; might possibly have said that he did not care whether the Water Commissioner approved of the contract or not; declined to answer the question whether the contracts must be made through the agency of the Water Commissioner, but asserted that all contracts made by that official must be made valid by the order of the Council. In answer to a question as to why this contract was not made by the order of the Water Commissioner, witness said it was made by the Council; witness did not expect to receive any money for the goods; might not even get a commission on the transaction; he was not responsible for them any further than lending his name might make him so; the money for them might not even be transmitted through him, but might be sent direct to the owners; the pipes came from Locke & Montague; had told the Commissioner that he (witness) looked upon himself as the father of the scheme. Could not recollect having told the plaintiff (Robinson) that he would carry the scheme through no matter whether he reported for or against it, but he would say now that he would do so. There was no contract with Monk only a proposition contained in a letter; the pipes were ultimately to belong to the city; could not say if Locke & Montague would accept payment for the pipes spread over a long term of years; Monk was willing to accept his pay from the water rates as collected; thought Monk's charges were low and fancied he would be out of pocket by the job. After a slight interruption caused by Mr. Robertson objecting to questions as to whether he was retained by Mr. Drummond or by the City Council the examination continued. Witness had not furnished Monk with materials, he had nothing the defendant required; witness had not proposed the scheme to Monk; on the contrary, Monk had asked him if it was possible for him to get the job; witness had advised Monk to apply to the Council. Could not say how many feet of pipe were supplied to Monk; witness had been round to the residents of James Bay to see how many he could persuade to take the water. Thought it better to carry the water across as proposed by the scheme than to adopt the plan of Councillor Trounce, who wished to build jettys to the sea water at James Bay for the use of engines in case of fire.

Cross examined by Mr. A. R. Robertson—Witness said the object of the scheme was to supply the water to James Bay ward and make the consumers pay for the pipes. The city had no money to carry out the scheme at the time. The pipes had cost the city nothing to date. The only drawback was that the city would not receive any water rates till the pipes were paid for. Witness named several cases where individuals had had pipes laid on similar conditions, viz.: Messrs. Lenevue, Keast, Heathorn and Drake, (the last named gentleman however denied that the conditions were the same.) The understanding with Monk being that he was to lay the pipes and that when he was reimbursed for his outlay the pipes were to become the property of the city. The Water Commissioner had brought the present action without the knowledge or consent of the Mayor or Council. This terminated the evidence of the Mayor.

Mr. J. D. Robinson (the Water Commissioner) examined by Mr. Drake, said the connection of the pipes laid by Monk and the city mains was made on the 19th October last and the said connection still existed. It was made without witness' sanction; had not had any connection with any person engaged in laying the pipes with respect to the matter or with Mr. Monk. The size of the pipe was ¼ inch. All connections made with the exception of the one by Monk were made under witness' authority and all work done by such authority was by contract. There was no pressing emergency for water in James Bay ward at the present time so far as the witness knew. Had seen all the parties referred to in the list given to the Council by Monk and with one or two exceptions all refused to take water at present. Witness would have no control over the pipes laid by Monk.

Cross examined by Mr. A. R. Robertson—Denied having used any influence to prevent anyone taking the water but simply asked them if they would take it or not. Had not asked for authority from the Council to sue Monk; was aware of Monk having the contract only from reading the newspapers. There have been instances of pipes being laid down at the expense of consumers and being reimbursed by half rates being charged till expenses were paid. Had not levied any rate in the present case. The difference between this scheme and the cases alluded to where pipes had been put in at the expense of the consumers was that application had been made by ratepayers in those cases. Had application been made by resident ratepayers in a similar manner in behalf of this scheme witness might have seen no objection. Had been ordered by the Council to report on the James Bay scheme but had not had time to do so when the contract was given to defendant. (Copies of letters dated 18th September were read by counsel asking witness to report. The contract was awarded on the 29th.) Counsel examined the witness at great length with a view to show that he had behaved in an insubordinate and contemptuous manner to the Council. Witness said he had never refused to answer any questions of the Council except in this case and that he considered himself the guardian of the Water Works against any infringement of the act. This closed the evidence.

Mr. A. R. Robertson demanded that the plaintiff should be non-suited, and quoted from the 25th section of the Act to show that the Water Commissioner had power to sue only in the name of the Council, and contended that by sec. 5, which gives the Mayor and Corporation power to appoint and remove the Water Commissioner, that official was only a servant of the Corporation and had no right to set himself up in defiance of the Council. His proper course if he objected to the scheme was to have obtained an injunction from the Supreme Court to prevent the contract being carried out. He (A. R. Robertson) must therefore apply for a nonsuit.

Mr. Drake refused to accept a nonsuit and pressed for a verdict. He differed from his learned friend as to the meaning of the act. While he admitted that the Water Commissioner was appointed and subject to removal by the Council he did not regard him as a servant. He (the Commissioner) was appointed as a check on the Corporation and to carry out the purposes of the Act. The Council moreover could not remove him without cause and if he were simply an ordinary servant it would not have been necessary to pass the Act at all. He quoted clause 16 and other clauses to show that the Commissioner might sue on his own authority, it being provided that penalties recovered under some clauses should be paid to the Water Commissioner and the monies used by him for water works purposes. He contended also that the Council had no power to make contracts without the Water Commissioner's consent.

After considerable argument on the part of the learned gentleman His Honor said he doubted if he had power to deal with the case. He thought the best plan would have been for the Commissioner to have obtained an injunction; on the other hand the Council might have removed the Commissioner and then carried their scheme out. (Mr. Drake was here understood to say that probably they might be glad to get a Water Commissioner who would prove more flexible). His Honor said that the provision of the Act appeared conflicting and he would take time to consider the case and reserve his decision till next Tuesday.

CITY POLICE COURT. — Yesterday, Le Bow, the Chinaman charged with threatening to shoot S. D Levi of Nanaimo, was discharged, there being no evidence against him and Sir M. C. Begbie giving him an excellent character. Jimmy, an Indian, was sent to jail for fourteen days for being drunk and disorderly; and the bail of a white d. and d. was ordered estreated. A summons was ordered to be issued against John Lawson, charging him with assaulting John M. Cleary.

INTERESTING LECTURE.—Rev. Mr. Reid delivered a very interesting lecture at the First Presbyterian Church last evening on Dr. Livingstone's explorations in Africa. The building was well filled, and the reverend gentleman gained the careful attention of his hearers by relating facts in connection with the life of the great traveller which were both instructive and amusing.

THE Acrobatic Troupe are adding to their laurels on every occasion they appear at Philharmonic Hall. Their performances are clever and novel, and those who have not seen them should avail themselves of the opportunity to do so at once.

A MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT of Silber Lamps may now be seen at the London Bazaar, each one giving the light of twenty candles without smoke or smell and with fireproof chimnies. ∴

DEATH.—Mrs. Trutch, mother of ex-Lieutenant-Governor Trutch, died on Tuesday night at Fairfield. The deceased lady had just completed her 77th year.

Mechanics' Institute.

EDITOR COLONIST:—As an old and constant subscriber to the Mechanics Institute, I may be permitted to ask for information.

According to the balance sheet just issued by the Treasurer and published in your columns this morning, "Entertainments for the benefit of the Institute" contributed towards its funds $36 75, while these entertainments cost the Institute (exclusive, as I understand, of a considerable charge for advertising, etc.,) $355 75, thus leaving the Institute poorer for these beneficial entertainments by $319. Now I desire to be informed if such be the fact. A SUBSCRIBER.

[If "A Subscriber" will refer again to the balance-sheet he will see that the rent of the hall with gas produced $633 75, and that the amount ($355 75) which he quotes as the cost of entertainments for the benefit of the Institute is in reality the cost of gas consumed for the ordinary uses of the Institute ($202 50) and for entertainments ($153 25) which produced $633 79. In other words, the rent of the hall paid the entire gas bill of the Institute and $278 besides.—ED.]

WM. HAYNES, Bandmaster Militia, will give instruction in the theory of harmony at schools or residences. Processions, balls, private parties, &c., &c., furnished. Orders left at M. R. Smith's Victoria Bakery, Fort street, will receive prompt attention. ∴

By Electric Telegraph.

EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

EUROPE.

LONDON, Nov. 7.—A Vienna correspondent of the *Standard* says the Porte is yielding to the demands of Russia and has agreed to relinquish positions captured by the Turks since the night of Oct. 31st. Hence the evacuation of Deligrade.

The *Post* in its leader announces that England has proposed a conference at Constantinople.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 7.—The Imperial Court leave Livadia to-day and will reach the Imperial palace of the Czar about the 15th inst.

OREGON.

PORTLAND, Oregon., Nov. 8.—Republicans claim the State by 500 to 1000 majority.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 7.—Republican gains everywhere.

EASTERN STATES.

CHARLESTON, S.C., Nov. 7.—Democratic gains everywhere.

BROOKLYN, Nov. 7.—148 districts give Tilden 15,651 majority.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—New York city 50,000 Democratic majority.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 7.—Straight tickets so far shows a Democratic plurality.

NEW YORK, Nov. 7.—360 districts in the city give Tilden 86,294; Hayes, 38,440. 247 districts outside of New York and Brooklyn show nett Democratic gains of 2784.

The Democratic majority in New York this year is about 55,000, against 23,000 in 1872, and Brooklyn 16,000 against 5000 in 1872.

BOSTON, Nov. 7 —213 towns give Hayes 51,494; Tilden, 41,601.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—Private dispatches say New York, Indiana, and Connecticut are for Tilden.

New Jersey in doubt.

Wisconsin close.

Lousisiana and South Carolina probably Republican.

North Carolina close—claimed by Republicans.

All returns from Minnesota indicate a heavy Republican majority.

PORTLAND, Me., Nov. 7 — Maine has gone Republican by 15,000.

BOSTON, Nov. 7 — Towns give Hayes 15,199, Tilden, 31,601. Georgia has gone Democratic be six thousand.

CHARLESTON, Nov. 7.—South Carolina has gone Republican by 20,000.

HARTFORD, Ct., Nov. 7.—Hartford is Democrat by 3,000.

Iowa has gone Republican by 45,000. Florida is Democratic. Alabama has gone 25,000 Democratic. Chicago, Democratic, 3,000.

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 7.—Republicans claim the State by 4,000 and Democrats by 2,000.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 6.—The Democratic majority in the State will probably be 7,000.

MILWAUKIE, Nov. 7.—The Democratics have probably carried the State.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

SEATTLE, Nov. 8.—946 votes cast; 500 votes counted in Seattle precints give Jacobs 247; Tudson 217; White 236; Truman 200.

Second Dispatch.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 8.—Complete returns, except from four precincts, give Hayes 800 majority.

The New York *Times* has a special claiming Florida is Republican and with this vote claims a majority of one for Hayes on the electorial vote.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—The *Times* concedes Tilden 184 and claims 185 electoral votes for Hayes, including Wisconsin, South Carolina, Louisiana and Florida.

The *Times* has just received a special from Jacksonville claiming the Republicans have carried Florida. If true and the Republicans hold Louisiana and Wisconsin as claimed, it elects Hayes.

Associated press dispatches surmise that Florida is Democratic.

CUT THIS OUT.

It May Save Your Life.

There is no person living but what suffers more or less with lung Diseases, Coughs, Colds or Consumption, yet some would rather die than pay 75 cents for a bottle of medicine that would cure them. DR. A. BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and its wonderful cures astonishes every one that tries it. If you doubt what we say in print, cut this out and take it to your Druggist ..... and get a sample bottle for 10 cents and try it. Two doses will relieve you. Regular size 75 cents. oc5eowdw

NEW GOODS AT ALBION HOUSE.—Ladies' and Children's Hyde Park Wraps and Shawls, Jackets, Skirts, Hosiery, Winter Dress Goods in great variety, Blankets, Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas in all classes, Furs, Lyons Black Piece Velvets, Jouvin and other Kid Gloves, Nubias, Breakfast Shawls and other wool goods, Gents' Underclothing, etc.; also, a full stock of Staple Goods.—A. B. GRAY & Co., proprietors, Government street, October 31, 1876. * * *

TOYS AND FANCY GOODS.—Mr. W. Jones of the London Bazaar, has on board the bark Hilarion (which will commence to discharge cargo to-morrow) 140 cases of toys, fancy goods and useful household articles, which he purchased in the manufacturing centres of Europe at very low prices owing to the depression of trade. These goods, together with the present stock, will be offered for sale at unprecedentedly low prices. *

LARGE IMPORTATION.—Mr. G. C. Keays of Yates Street, next to Langley & Co., received by last steamer an immense lot of Ranges, Cook, Box and Parlour Stoves. He is evidently determined to command a large share of the trade as his motto is, small profits and quick returns. Give him a call and see for yourselves. *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province. * * *

A Diamond Raffle

At Lovett's saloon, to take place on the evening of December 2nd, 1876, at half-past seven o'clock. 420 chances at $5 each. Every article put up at its value and each article is known to most of the residents of Victoria. 5 prizes: One 5¼ carat diamond, fitted to be worn as ring or pin, value $1,000. One diamond cluster ring, value $300. One fine gold watch valued at $200. One Jules Jurgeson watch—independent second hand—one of the finest watches in the Colony, value $300. One diamond slide (well known), value $300. The highest throw takes the 5¼ carat diamond with ring and pin settings or $900 in gold coin. The next highest takes the diamond cluster ring. The third highest takes the fine gold watch. The lowest throw has choice of the Jules Jurgeson watch or the diamond slide, and the second lowest takes the remaining prize. There will be three well known responsible gentlemen selected by the ticket-holders on the night of the raffle to conduct it. Parties that may have tickets for sale must make returns before the 2nd December, or the numbers they hold will be cancelled.

NOBODY BORED TO BUY TICKETS

Any person holding a ticket or tickets who may wish to leave Victoria, or who becomes dissatisfied before the raffle takes place, can have the price of the ticket or tickets refunded on presentation to

JOSEPH LOVETT,
Cold Tea Saloon, Government St.,
Victoria, B. C.

The prizes will be on view at Mr. H. Rudolph's Jewellery Shop—the coin put up the night of the raffle. *

Auction Sales

TO-MORROW.
DRY GOODS AND CLOTHING SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Will sell by public Auction at Salesroom,

Friday, Nov. 10, 1876, at 11 o'clock, a.m.

On a Liberal Credit,

DRY GOODS.

Ladies' and Misses' Royal Embroidered and Silk Trimmed Skirts, Moded Shape Corsets, White and Merino Hose, Insertion Lace and Embroidery, Flannel Hoods, Embroidered Cloaks and Talmas, Curtain Nett, Linen and Cambric Handkfs, Gloves and Mitts, Scarlet and Plaid Flannels, Dress Goods, Ladies' Dresses, Silk Velvet Trimmings, Fancy Shawls, Whitney Cloth, Scissors, Opera Cloaks, Colored Counterpanes, Corduroy, Gingham, Underclothing, Black Alpaca, French Merinos, etc

FURNISHING GOODS.

Fireman Scarlet Cye shirts, Buck, Mining and Driving Gloves, asst. mitts, Cotton, Merino and Canton Flannel Underclothing, Scarlet and blue Overshirts, Cotton, Germantown and Shaker Socks, Giant Scarfs, Cardigan Jackets, Braces, Baltic and Fancy Shirts.

Fine Assortment of Gents' Dress Shirts,

Blue-Black Cloth, Beaver and Cassimere Overshirts, Neckties, asst. Paper Collars, sizes 14 to 18 in., etc.

Fine Assortment of Cassimere Hats,

Boys' Caps, Women's Hats,

CUSTOM MADE CLOTHING.

Waterproof Coats, Youth and Men's Overcoats, Fine Cassimere Pants, Scotch Tweed Suits, Heavy Large Overalls, Duck Jumpers, Heavy Beaver Pants, Diagonal Cassimere Pants, Heavy winter Coats, Pilot Jackets, Grey Cass Suits, Youths' Clothing,

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Officers' Coats, Pea Jackets, Gents' Coats, Capes Sou'westers and Traveling Caps,

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Naval Sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions from Jas. H. Innes, Esq., to sell by public auction at the Naval Yard, Esquimalt, on behalf of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty,

Saturday, December 2nd, at 11 o'clk a. m.

The undermentioned Stores, viz:

Naval—6 Haley's Lifting Jacks to lift 4 to 8 tons, 12 Handscrews or Lifting Jacks, 7 Iron Money Safes, 20 Double Iron Blocks with swivel hooks and brass sheaves of sizes to lift from 2½ to 6 tons, 29 Treble ditto to lift 2½ to 8 tons, 5 ditto of assorted sizes, 5 Fourfold of sizes

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452 fathoms White Hawserlaid 1¼ to 2 in., 281 fms. Boltrope 1¼ to 3½ in., 2088 fms. tarred Hawserlaid 1 to 8 in., 106 fms. ditto for shrouds 8 in., 293 fms. ditto for tacks and sheets 4½ and 5 in., 2 cwt. Spun Yarn, 303½ yards New Canvass Nos. 5, 6 and 8.

Condemned Stores—Cordage Paper Stuff, White and Painted Canvass, Woollen Rags, Old Coal Sacks, Steel, Files, Old Wrought Iron, Old Leather Hoses, Coir and and Hide Rope Iron Oil Casks, etc.

Provisions and Victualling Stores—Split Peas, Salt Beef, Flour, Raisins, Barrels, Half Hogsheads, Kilderkins, Tierces, Wood, Metal and Lime Juice Cases, Heading Pieces, Staves, Old Iron, Lime Juice Bottles, Biscuit Bags, Canisters.

Implements — Lanterns, Weighing Machines, Kitchen Utensils, Harness Casks, Cooper's Tools, Draw Knives, Hollowing Knives, Sheaves, &c.

Clothing, &c.—Partly damaged by Castor Oil—383 yards Flannel, 364 yards Blue Serge, 45 Blk Silk Handkerchiefs

Also, Condemned. — Flushing Jackets, Blue Cloth, Blue Jean, Straw Hats, Men's Stockings and feet pieces, Serge Tunics, Foraging Caps, Blankets, Comforters, Tobacco, Wrappers, Cases, Casks, Great Coats, &c.

Ordnance Stores—Marines' Accontrements, including Belts, Shot Boxes, Tin Cases, and two pairs of Wheels and Axles complete, besides various other articles

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GLASGOW, 29th July, 1876. oc8 3m2p

REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH Bazaar.

THE LADIES CONNECTED WITH THE Reformed Episcopal Church will hold a Bazaar on some day and evening during the first week in December next, for the purpose of raising funds to assist in discharging the Debt on the Church and to defray the expense of placing a fence about the sacred edifice and the Sunday-school building.

Ladies having completed work for this Bazaar are requested to send the same to either of the following ladies.

MRS. CRIDGE,
MRS. McTAVISH,
MRS. HARRIS,
MRS. ENGELHARDT,
MRS. HIGGINS,
} Committee.

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Miscellaneous.

C.P.R.R. TERMINUS STORE

QUESNELLEMOUTH, B. C.

THE BEST BRANDS OF

Provincial FLOUR,

BACON & BEANS Constantly on hand.

ALSO—A general assortment of

Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hardware,

AT VERY LOW PRICES.

STORAGE AND FORWARDING Done at Reasonable Rates.

my21 6m JAS. REID.

Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING LEASED his shop to

Messrs. Miller & Walker,

Mr. Walker will devote his attention to

HORSESHOEING,

Of which branch he is master, having studied in the Veterinary College, Glasgow, Scotland.

I can recommend my successors to the public as first-class men. Particular attention paid to horses with sore feet.

Also, Jobbing and Wagon-work as usual at reasonable prices.

Liverymen would find it to their advantage to give Miller & Walker a trial. I bespeak for them a share of public patronage. A. CLYDE.

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 16, 1876. oc17 1m

HAREWOOD COAL DEPOT,

Dickson, Campbell & Co.'s Wharf, Store Street.

Best Household Coal

DELIVERED TO ALL PARTS OF THE CITY

$8 25 per ton of 2,000 lbs

FOR CASH ONLY.

Parties leaving their Orders for Coal must leave the Money with them to ensure their order being attended to.

VICTORIA, Oct. 21st, 1876. oc21

FURNITURE.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE

Cutlery, Carpets

And all kinds of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,

—AT—

Mansell & Holroyd's,

Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.

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FREDERICK REYNOLDS

FAMILY

BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch.

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mh10 LONDON MARKET

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

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NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY

CORNER OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STREETS

VICTORIA, B. C.

IS NOW PREPARED TO TAKE ALL KINDS of Photographs in all the latest improvements.

On hand and for sale Views of British Columbia and Vancouver Island. Also, all kinds of Photographic Material.

As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage oc28

Ld. Lowenberg,

Real Estate Agent,

Government St., near corner of Broughton

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property, negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street. Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

REMOVAL.

H. M. Cowper

Has removed his splendid stock of

BOOTS and SHOES

To the Brick Building, next door to the Bank of British Columbia,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Where he will be happy to wait on his old customers and all the new ones who may pay him a visit.

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SAM KEE,

Cormorant Street, above Government, VICTORIA, B.C.,

Intelligence Office Keeper

Good Cooks, Gardeners Laborers, Wood Sawyers, etc., provided at short notice, for any part of the country. oc21dwlm

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Dealerin

Groceries, Dry Goods,

Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps

HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. o11

MR. HELLMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening. mh4

New Advertisements.

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JUST RECEIVED and more shortly to arrive at the

ALHAMBRA BAZAAR,

Corner of Yates and Government Sts.

HENRY GRIBBLE.

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At Prices to Suit the Times. oc29

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BASS' ALE, In Quarts and Pints

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BRANDIES, Hennessy, Courvoisier's and Hines', in Casks and Cases.

WHISKEY, Lochnagar, Kinahan's LL, and Dunville & Co.'s, in Cases and Casks.

GENEVA, In Red Cases. **OLD TOM,** Board's.

RUM, Jamaica and Demerara. **SHERRY,**

PORT, CHAMPAGNE,

ANGOSTURA BITTERS, RHINE WINES, ETC.

VINEGAR, in Octaves.

RAISINS.

SARDINES, in hlf and qtr boxes.

OATMEAL.

COOK'S MOTTLED SOAP.

PICKLES and SAUCES.

CHICORY.

GUNS, Single and Double.

SHOT and BALL.

FISHING LINES.

Noble & Hoare's VARNISHES.

WHITE LEAD, No. 1 & 2.

WAX MATCHES.

BLANKETS, a full assortment.

DRY GOODS, a full assortment.

WHARF STREET, 25th October, 1876. oc26 1m

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

Summer Arrangements from 1st April, to 31st September, 1876.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 3d, 13th, and 23d of each Month	On the 10th, 20th, & 30th of each month, at 11 A.M.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M	Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Ap'l 24.
China and Japan	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast.	Irregular dates of arrival...	On the 10th 20th & 30th of each month at 11 A.M.
New Westminster & Burrard Inlet and Yale.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday 3 P.M.	Thursday at 6 P.M.
Nanaimo and intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 6 P.M.
Comox and intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

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POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

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Wholesale and Retail

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VICTORIA, Sept. 17, 1875 my5

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BOOTS & SHOES

At the shortest notice and at low prices.

Thanking the public for past favors, he would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

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HOUSE MOVER AND GENERAL CONTRACTOR.

E. R. PHELPS,

WISHES TO INFORM THE PUBLIC that he is prepared to

ove and Rejustify the Underpinning of Houses, etc.

ALSO—To contract for General Job Work. Apply to E. R. PHELPS,

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New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undermentioned persons who have paid certain instalments on land in New Westminster District, are required to pay the balance due on the several lots of land set against their respective names, within twelve months from date hereof. In default the said lands will be forfeited, in accordance with Clause 79, "Land Act, 1875."

Names.	Description of Land.	Amount due.	Total.
A.R. Howse & Chs. Sinnett	Block 6 N., Range 1 E., Section 23..	.....	$ 80 80
Joseph T. Baldwin	" " " " 25..	.....	80 80
John Robson	Block 5 N., Range 2 W., Section 17..	.....	90 39
Isaac Oliver	" " " " 9..	80 80	
	" " " " 15..	80 80	
	Block 5 N., Range 1 W., Section 4..	10 10	
	" " " " 9..	80 80	
			225 50
John Cooper	Lot 167, Group 1	.....	115 95
William Clarkson	Block 5 N., Range 2 W., Section 10..	80 80	
	" " " " 11..	80 80	
	" " " " 16..	80 80	
	Block 5 N., Range 1 E., Section 2..	100 00	
	" " " " 9..	19 25	
	" " " " 10..	42 16	
	" " " " 11..	65 08	
	" " " " 12..	73 33	
	" " " " 13..	42 67	
	Block 4 N., Range 4 W., Section 16..	30 66	
	Block 5 N., Range 4 W., Section 25..	11 25	
			626 80
John Gustavus Norris	Block 4 N., Range 5 W., Section 5..	80 00	
	" " " " 6..	80 00	
	" " " " 8..	80 00	
	Block 4 N., Range 6 W., Section 1..	80 00	
	Block 5 N., Range 5 W., Section 30..	80 00	
	" " " " 31..	80 00	
	" " " " 32..	80 00	
	Block 5 N., Range 6 W., Section 25..	80 00	
	" " " " 26..	80 00	
	" " " " 35..	80 00	
	" " " " 36..	80 00	
			880 00
Joseph Wilson	Block 4 N., Range 5 W., Section 1..	80 00	
	" " " " 2..	80 00	
	" " " " 3..	80 00	
	" " " " 4..	80 00	
	" " " " 9..	80 00	
	" " " " 10..	80 00	
	" " " " 11..	80 00	
	" " " " 12..	80 00	
	Block 5 N., Range 5 W., Section 33..	80 00	
	" " " " 34..	80 00	
			800 00
Moody, Dietz & Nelson	Lot 129, Group 1	80 00	
	Lot 132 "	80 00	
	Block 5 N., Range 2 W., Section 34..	80 00	
	" Range 4 W., Section 19..	48 00	
			288 00
Henry Forman	Lot 76, Group 1	.....	23 33
Goon, Gan & Mow	Lot 171, Group 1	.....	116 66
Samuel Herring	Block 5 N., Range 5 W., Section 20..	.....	18 00
David Leneveu	Block 4 N., Range 4 W., Section 2..	106 66	
	" " " " 3..	106 66	
	" " " " 4..	106 66	
	" " " " 5	106 66	
	" " " " 8..	106 66	
	" " " " 9..	105 32	
	" " " " 10..	72 66	
	" " " " 11	34 66	
	" " " " 17..	102 66	
	" " " " 20..	50 00	
			898 60
George Jenkinson	Block 5 N., Range 5 W., Section 13..	.....	7 50
Henry P. P. Crease	Block 4 N., Range 6 W., Section 10..	106 66	
	" " " " 15..	106 66	
			213 32
Kum Shoong	" " " " 12..	.....	106 66
John Green	" " " " 33..	.....	133 32
Edwin Johnson	Block 1 N., Range 1 E., Section 29..	80 00	
	" " " " 30	80 00	
	" " " " 32..	80 00	
			240 00
Jeremiah Rogers	Lot 158, Group 1	104 95	
	Lot 159, "	133 15	
	Lot 160, "	66 90	
			305 00

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, 4th November, 1875.

F. GEO. VERNON, Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

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FORT ST., opp. Scotch House.

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

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FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

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Charges Moderate—Private Dining Rooms for Ladies and Families.

Best of Wines, Liquors and Cigars at the Bar.

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Victoria, B. C., March 10th, 1876. mh11

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BETWEEN YATES AND JOHNSON, VICTORIA, B.

Built of Brick, Newly Furnished, has First-Class Accommodations AT LOWEST RATES.

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Capt. MARTIN'S BILLIARD SALOON,

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Best Billiard Tables in the Province

Wines, Liquors and Cigars of the Best Qualities.

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Persons wishing to purchase Billiard Tables or any other article connected with the same will do well to apply to him. je4

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THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to 6 50; Board and Lodging per Day $1. Single Meals 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.

TERMS—Cash in advance.

☞ Fire-proof Safe in the House. ☜

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Three doors south of the Postoffice,

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Where Meals are furnished at all Hours of the Day and Night. CHARGES MODERATE.

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BILLIARDS.

Nothing will be spared to render the guests as comfortable as any house on the Pacific Coast.

None but the very best (directly imported) Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

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